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Applicant(s): Seiki Tomita et al

Invention: MEDICAL APPARATUS AND MEDICAL SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In full and timely response to the Final Office Action dated April 7, 2005 1, 2004,
please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.